

Digitized by the Internet Archive in 2018 with funding from Jasper Foundation, Inc/Saint Joseph's College

G. Richard Schreiber

Commitment To Saint Joseph's

G. Richard Schreiber, a 1943 graduate of Saint Joseph's, has been chairman of the college Board of Trustees since June, 1970. His term of office expires in October, 1975. A Board member since 1964, he has carefully watched college developments and helped formulate college policy through more than a decade of change, challenge and growth. Now President of the National Automatic Merchandising Association, he paused recently in his Chicago office to offer the following insights into his duties and the past, present and future of Saint Joseph's.

CONTACT: Chairing the Board of Trustees is an honor, but also a great responsibility. Could you describe, in general, the range of your duties?

MR. SCHREIBER: In general, the Board Chairman presides over all meetings of the Board, and serves as Chairman of the Executive Committee. One of his duties is to decide the number and kinds of committees other than those specified in the bylaws, and to make appointments to those committees and the standing committees with the cansent of the Board.

Apart from the obligations of the Chairman which are spelled out in the bylaws and constitution, it seems to me that ane of the most important responsibilities a Chairman has is to establish the climate or atmosphere in which the Board works. We try in our meetings to make sure that every Board member who wishes to be heard on a question is heard.

The Chairman of the Board probably has the most frequent contact with the President of any member of the Baard. It's his responsibility as a result to attempt to bring the Board's viewpoint to his dealings with the President and to reflect back to the Board the views and wishes of the President an issues of policy.

CONTACT: During your service on the Board of Trustees, what advantages have you found in the fact that you are a Saint Joe alumnus?

the whole campus smelled like rotten eggs from the sulphur water which was plentiful everywhere. But you really got over noticing the smell after you had been on campus for a short time, and the people I met on that visit persuaded me Saint Joseph's was the place for me. Some of them, as it turned out, had a profound effect on my life.

I was looking for a place where I could learn how to learn, and I wanted enough freedom to get as broad an education as possible. I think I got that at Saint Joseph's, and I wouldn't trade the experience for anything in the world.

CONTACT: "The more things change, the more they stay the same," says one proverb. Through all its changes since your days as a student at SJC in the early 1940's, in what valuable areas has the college stayed the same?

MR. SCHREIBER: Well, of course, Saint Joseph's is now two ar three times larger than it was when I was a student. Like a good many people, I have to confess every time I turn off the highway and come through the gates onto campus these days I miss the sight of the old Administration Building back of the fountain. But then as I begin to walk around campus and see the familiar faces—some of whom were teaching and working there when I was a student, and some of whom I've come to knaw only recently—I feel the same kind of friendliness and spirit which has always been at Saint Joseph's.

We complained a good deal when we were students at Saint Joseph's about everything from the smelly water to the standard Sunday night supper of bread, butter and bologna. But most of us were sorry to leave when the time came to graduate—not because we were going to miss the bologna or sulphur water, but because of the close, personal ties we had formed with so many people. I think Saint Joseph's has maintained that feeling down through the years, and I hope it will forever.

CONTACT: Fr. Banet has frequently . . .

MR. SCHREIBER: Excuse me for interrupting you, but we ought to make it clear that for a good many years now the sulphur water is gone, and the campus smells fresh and clean, and I am sure the bologna has given way to mare interesting meals an Sunday evening.



MR. SCHREIBER: The last few years have been rough for Saint Joseph's, just as they've been for all private colleges, large or small. I'm sympathetic toward the point of view that an educational institution can't be operated precisely like a for-profit business. On the other hand, we've seen a lot of private colleges disappear during the last cauple of years, and I would imagine that a good many of them will have to close their doors in the immediate future.

Even if we agree that an educational institution is different from a for-profit business, the only way private colleges have a prayer of surviving is to be businesslike in their approach to setting budgets, controlling expenses and going into debt.

Even in the tax-supported, state educational institutions I think we are going to see increasing demands that those institutions realize that tax dollars are not inexhaustible. We have encouraged the administration to be candid with the faculty, the student body and the staff with respect to Saint Joseph's financial position. I think we should continue that policy and I do not think there is any question but what it has paid great dividends.

Just like a family, a business, a nation, or any other entity, Saint Joseph's can't afford to regularly spend more than it has. Gifts to the college have been increasing, especially gifts from alumni, and the Board has done, I believe, a good job challenging the administration to present realistic budgets and to live within those budgets. It's crucial to Saint Joseph's future that we continue to do so.

CONTACT: Public confidence in higher education dipped in the sixties but seems to be making a strong comeback in the seventies. Helped by this trend, do you see brighter times ahead for small schools like Saint Joseph's?

MR. SCHREIBER: I suppose you are referring to the polls which followed the bombings, burnings, riots and such-like on some campuses in the sixties. Like everything else, percentagewise, those events occurred on a small number of college and university campuses and by no means affected al! campuses. We've gone through some very trying times in this country and no single institution—whether the government, education, the press, business or what have you—enjoyed a very high rating if the public opinion polls can be believed.

Far more importantly it seems to me, is getting the answer to the question: "What is a college education intended to do?" We know that a bachelor's degree is no longer a passport to a certain job. Among educators there appears to be a consensus right now that by 1980 only one out of five available jobs will require a college education. Now that's just a guess, and historically most guesses of this kind have turned out to be very wrong. But right or wrong, there appears to be a strong return of interest in a solid liberal arts education. There is no question but what a person with a sound liberal arts education is in the best possible position to move with relative ease from one line of work or career to another. If this trend continues or grows stronger, schools like Saint Joseph's should indeed face a brighter future,

"FIRST AS A STUDENT, AND STILL TODAY, I FEEL THE SAME KIND OF FRIENDLINESS AND SPIRIT WHICH HAS ALWAYS TYPIFIED THE CAMPUS."

MR. SCHREIBER: There's no question but what every member of the Saint Joseph's College Board has a commitment to the college. Having graduated from Saint Joseph's, and been in touch with the college and its development far many years, probably adds to a better understanding of unfolding events. I would think that simply having lived on campus for a number of years enables anyone to identify more closely with the students, faculty and staff who reside there now.

CONTACT: Yaur commitment to Saint Joseph's is obviausly a deep one. To relieve some of the loneliness of high responsibility, what people can you consult for ideas and suggestions before making decisions?

MR. SCHREIBER: You know I've never much cared for phrases like "the loneliness of high responsibility." It saunds as though samehow you went off and worked in a vacuum and hoped that the gift of wisdom would suddenly strike you so that the decision you're making would be the correct decision. Anyone who works that way in arriving at either operating or policy decisions has to be headed for trouble.

There is a great deal of exchange of ideas, suggestions, criticisms and so forth with the members of the Board, and with the various college administrators with whom the Board deals.

At the same time, all of the members of the Board, except those who are active on campus, are engaged in some kind of business on the outside. That's a great help. During recent years, the financial and organizational questions which arose at Saint Joseph's College were duplicated not only in the academic world but in the rest of the world as well. So a Board Chairman can seek and get advice from a good many people on the outside in the banking community, lawyers, and other professional people.

CONTACT: As an undergraduate, why did you choose Soint Joseph's? What attracted you?

MR. SCHREIBER: I got talked into coming to Saint Joseph's by Fr. Sylvester Ley. He came to my hometown when I was a junior in high school and he called on not only the senior class but on members of the junior class as well.

Fr. Ley is a most engaging fellow and at least in those days was a supersalesman. I stopped off for a day and a night at Rensselaer on a trip to Minnesota between my junior and senior years in high school. Back then

CONTACT: Fr. Banet has frequently said that a small, private college today must be innovative and distinctive to survive in the years ahead. In what ways is Saint Joseph's now truly distinctive?

MR. SCHREIBER: One of the things that's always been distinctive about Saint Jaseph's is the fact that its faculty has a commitment to teaching. Without that commitment, the Saint Joseph's Core program, for example, never would have been able to get off the ground. With the Core program, a student at Saint Joseph's has an apportunity for an educational experience difficult to duplicate anywhere.

CONTACT: Are there any steps you feel Saint Joseph's should now be taking to insure its distinctiveness in the years ahead?

MR. SCHREIBER: Obviously, the first thing Saint Joseph's has to do to insure its distinctiveness is to remain fiscally solvent. Apart from that, it seems to me that the major challenge is to continue to attract the kind of students who appreciate the personalized education that can be had at Saint Joseph's, and to see to it that the teaching faculty is constantly renewing its own commitment to excellence.

CONTACT: What are the major advantages, academic and otherwise, for the student who attends Saint Joseph's?

MR. SCHREIBER: We've talked about a good many of them already—the fact that the college is large enough to support and provide a range of programs attractive to students, but small enough so that people still know each other. During the breaks which occur in our Board meetings, it's interesting to me to notice how members of the staff and faculty speak to the dozens of students we pass walking from one place to another. Everyone knows everyone by their first name.

All kinds of other advantages occur to me. It's a wonderful feeling, for example, to drive down to Rensselaer from Chicago and enjoy a breath of fresh air. I-65 brought the college within easy reach of all of the attractions of a great city like Chicago. But the distractions are far enough away so that a student who wants to get the most out of his years at Saint Joseph's can do so.

CONTACT: Financial obstacles facing private colleges may well grow, rather than shrink, in the years ahead. What is SJC now doing, and what must it do in the future to survive in a time of inflation and recession?

"SJC CAN'T AFFORD TO REGULARLY SPEND MORE THAN IT HAS."

CONTACT: If you were to offer Fr. Banet one major suggestion for the years ahead, what would it be?

MR. SCHREIBER: Without being terribly facetious, I could pick a couple of words from the June 29 Gospel: Keep the faith. Now I don't mean that just in the sense the Gospel writer meant. For at least the lost 15 years, probably more, being President of a smoll private college is the last thing you would want your son to grow up to be if you value peace of mind. The next 15 years probably aren't to be any easier, so one can only wish for a self-renewing faith in the vital role of the small private college. Specifically, since Saint Joseph's was and is the creature of the Society of the Precious Blood, I would suggest that Fr. Charley do everything possible to persuade more fellow members of the Society to make Saint Joseph's their life mission.



Alumni Class Notes

Brother Robert Burhman received a newsy letter from George Horan who was postmaster at SJC from 1938-57. George is convalescing from major surgery at the Alexian Brothers Rest Home in Signal Mountain, Tenn. He looks forward to receiving CONTACT and would enjoy hearing from friends.

1926

Rev. Joseph Biegler has joined the department of pastoral care at St. Francis Hospital in LaCrosse, Wis.

Rev. Cletus G. Kern has taken up residence at Cardinal Newman Faculty House in Santa Rosa, Calif.

1936

Norbert J. Jacquay, who worked with General Electric since 1941, took optional retirement May 1, 1975. He plans to relax, do some gardening, fishing and redecorating of his home in Monroeville, Ind.

Theodore N. Staudt, was presented the Caritas Medal by his Excellency, Most Rev. John King Mussio on June 29 at St. John Arena, Steubenville, Ohio.

Carl J. Harrison, timekeeper for Timken Roller Bearing Co., of Canton, Ohio, writes that



Toeppe, '50



Meiring, '51

his oldest son was ardained a priest in 1968 and that their two sons and two daughters are now grown and on their own.

John J. Fehrenbacher, after 30 years in the U.S. Coast Guard, retired in June of 1974 with the rank of Captain. He is now an investment advisor, working for Robert Wallis and Associates, in the San Francisco area.

Tom Bestudik, a gentleman with distinguished white hair from Springfield, Ill., was recently appointed Fire Chief of that city.

Gerald J. Wheeler Sr., is an engineer for Pillsbury Co., and resides with his wife Irene, and five children in Springfield, III. Jerry's hobbies include golf and landscaping around his home at 14 Radcliffe Road.

John A. Tullio is warking for Fitzgerald Manufacturing Co., in Torrington, Conn. John recently moved to Avon, Conn. His neigh-bors are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stone, '50 and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Koron, '60. They are thinking of naming their home street Saint Joseph's Avenue.

Charles S. Hanley, Jr., is a General Sales Manager for GATX Corp., in Chicago, III.

Wally Moore, assistant football coach at Notre Dame for the past ten years, has joined the coaching staff of Lee Corso at Indiana Uni-

Victor F. Toeppe has joined Forest Oil Corporation in Lafayette, La., as Division Development Geologist. He lives in Lafayette with his wife, Helen, of Dearborn, Mich., and their daughter, Donnalee.

1952

Donald Brouillette is president of Demeter, Inc., of Fowler, Ind.

William Kun is Vice-Principal of South-East Shull School with an enrollment of 1200 pupils. He also serves on the Perth Amboy, N.J., Zoning Board.

George Jocums has done much world traveling and received his Ph.D. from the University of Michigan. He also has taught in New Mexico and Illinois. George, his wife and three children reside in Boise, Idaho, where he is associate professor of German language and literature.

Fr. Bernard Boff, pastor of the inner-city parish of St. Teresa in Toledo, Ohio, was awarded the "Humanitarian of the Year" for his recognized ministry to the total community.

Ed Joyce is a supervisor of a computer systems group for the Los Angeles County Assessor.

Jerry Alstadt lives with his wife Lora and six children in Huntingburg, Ind., where he is the basketball and golf coach and teaches English for the Southwest Dubois County School Corp.

As of July 1, 1975, Anthony G. Rosich, Jr., will be the resident sales representative for U.S. Steel Products in Beaumont, Tex. He will cover southeastern Texas, western Louisiana and southern Oklahoma.

David P. O'Conner, Jr., is Director of Personnel and Marketing for the Peoples Bank of Port

Philip J. Wilhelm of Indianapolis retires this year as President of Saint Joseph's Alumni Board. He will serve on the Board as an ex-officio member.

Bill Braunbeck stands alone as the only undefeated coach of a major college basketball team in the U.S. for the 1974-75 season. As interim coach at Kent State University, he beat Ball State 71-61 and Pittsburgh 69-68. He had a perfect 2-0 season.

Edward A. Morris owns and operates Ed's Taxidermy in Dwight, III.



White, '54



George Halas, LL.D.

David Boyer has been promoted from the Detroit Office of Teleflex, Inc., to the Office in Philadelphia where he will become Industrial Manager.

Col. David P. Dempster will graduate from Auburn in mid-July with an MBA. He and his family will be moving to Dayton, Ohio, where he will be Director, Avionics System Program Office, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.

Carl L. Bossung, C.P.A., has been admitted to partnership in Crowe, Chizek and Company, certified public accountants, in South Bend, Ind.

Terry Herbst teaches for the East Allen Schools in Fort Wayne, Ind.

B. George Badke has been named head football coach at Fenwick High School in Chi-

Thomas H. Flowers is working as a Captain in the United States Marine Corps. He is Officer in charge of Direct Support Stock Control at Palms, Calif.

1969

Frank J. Pohlgeers has been promoted to Zone Sales Manager in charge of Computer Sales, Burroughs Corporation, Cincinnati, Ohio, Branch.

Dennis Porath is an accountant for Standard Oil in Columbus, Ohio.

1970

Earl W. Crosby is currently editor of the Rutherford B. Hayes Papers at the R. B. Hayes Presidential Library, Fremont, Ohio. He recently received one of the 1974 Phi Alpha Theta Essay Awards.

Capt. T. Kevin Griffin, USMC, was in Saigon three days before it fell to the North Vietnamese Army.

Ronald Wojciekowski is a Warrant Officer with specialization in forensic chemistry in Crime Lab at Zama, Japan.

Len Carolan earned his M.A. in Recreation Administration at New York University. He now teaches for Smithtown Central School District One and resides in Northport, N.Y. He also received the Teacher of Distinction Award from Branch Brook Elementary School PTA.

Thomas Gonwa and his wife Mary Alice Westwick both received medical degrees June 7. They will start their residency training in



A person who doesn't like challenges shouldn't become an Alumni Association President, but I like to be challenged and to call upon all of Saint Joseph's alumni in pulling together to help our group meet our goals during the next two years.

Phil Wilhelm and his fellow Alumni Board officers deserve deepest gratitude for their enormous contributions of time and effort which resulted in giant strides forward by the Alumni Association in the last several years.

For the next two years, I hope to see the continued support of ALL alumni to help keep Saint Joseph's a viable private higher educational institution. One of my goals will be to provide additional activities in local areas at which alumni can maintain their ties to Saint Joe.

Major efforts will be made to organize chapters in areas where they do not currently exist and to revitalize other local chapters. Naturally, this will take work. not only on the part of the Alumni Board, but on the part of many interested alumni.

I'd like all alumni interested in helping to organize chapters or helping to plan chapter areas to contact Bob Ramesh, our Vice-President for Alumni Relations (1734 Sterling Drive, South Bend, Ind., 46635).

Our Alumni Association also will continue its strong efforts in student recruitment, raising of funds and working with students on campus. The success of all these programs depends on an overall alumni commitment and involvement in these various projects. We need all of you.

> Sincerely, James E. Madden '64

internal medicine at North Carolina Baptist Hospital, of the Bowman Grey School of Medicine of Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, N.C.

Daivd B. Lincoln works as a food broker for Harold M. Lincoln Co., in Toledo, Ohio.

David Marendt has been named head football coach at Mount Vernon High School in Fortville, Ind.

Tom Parks is teaching and coaching basketball and track at Scecina Memorial High School in Indianapolis.

Robert J. Jurek has been promoted to controller in the Administrative Division of the National Bank and Trust Company in South Bend, Ind.

John F. Bratton has been promoted from Procter and Gamble's Baltimore Manufacturing Plant to Merchandise Accounting Manager at P & G's Staten Island Manufacturing

Steve Ehrenfried is working in the U.S. Army as a maintenance records clerk. He is working professionally in a musical "South Pacitic" in Honolulu.

John Hiltz is a terminal manager for Roadway Express, Inc., in Chicago. He resides in St. Charles, III.

Frank X. Walsh Jr., lives in Elk Grove, Ill., where he is employed as a sales representative for the Chicago and suburban areas on Indlander-Steindler Paper Co.

John A. Carroll works for R/M Friction Materials Company as a production supervisor and employee relations person in Manheim,

M. Angela Lengerich is completing her M.A. in music at the University of Hawaii.

Bruce Litzenberg has written his own political success story in Marion, Ohio, where last November he was elected the first Democratic Auditor of Marion County since 1906.

Joseph Martin is a teacher and coach at Aquin Central Catholic High School in Freeport, III.

John Moran Jr., has started a music program at Spaulding Elementary School in Chicago for students who are physically handicapped.

Dr. Holderman addresses SJC graduates

Small, private, liberal arts colleges are "where the action is" and it is they who are "best prepared to make a real difference in the years ahead" 240 Saint Joseph's College graduates were told here June 15 during the 80th annual commencement exercises.

Dr. James B. Holderman, Vice-President for Education of Lilly Endowment, Inc., Indianapolis, added "You are to be congratulated not only upon receiving your degree but for choosing a first-rate school as your place of study."

Dr. Holderman stressed that officers of Lilly Endowment "have great faith in the strength and resilience of this nation's private liberal arts colleges — the best possible place to bring to society the kinds of ethical and social questions that need to be asked and answered."

Higher education's face is changing, he admitted, due to varying needs society places upon it. "And Lilly Endowment is confident that these changes will continue to bring out the best in our private institutions. Certainly our private schools must work to meet their financial challenges, but their ongoing quality aca-demic performance underscores their commitment to serve a society that strongly needs them."

College President Fr. Charles Banet opened commencement by telling the graduates "for many years, the classroom has been your world; now the world will become your classroom. During your years of study here, you have polished the tools you can take with you in seeking to make the world around you a better place to live and work. I, the faculty, and the Board of Trustees wish you Godspeed in meeting the challenges that life will hold for you."

Fr. Charles T. Bricher, Provincial Director of the Cincinnati Province of the Society of the Precious Blood, received an honorary degree during these commencement exercises.

Fr. Bricher was elected First Consultor of the Cincinnati Province in April, 1965, and has been Provincial Director since May, 1970.

MARRIAGES

James Blackwood, '72 and Victoria Gonzalez. '74, June 14, at St. John's Church, Whiting, Ind.

John A. Carroll, '73, and Karen J. Nauman,

Joan Hinders, '76, and Michael Volk, Jr., May 3, at Immaculate Conception Church, Celina,

John Hiltz, '72, and Eileen Farmar, '73, Nov. 11, 1972.

Stanley J. Kurth, '72, and Christine Kruczek, May 3, at Strongsville, Ohio.

David B. Lincoln, '71, and Dora Elizabeth Nelson, Jan. 18.

Joseph Martin, '73, and Georgann Pocivasek, July 26.

Frank J. Pohlgeers, '69, and Linda McGraw.

Nov. 29, 1974, at Bellevue, Ky.

Kathleen Rogers, '72, and Timothy J. Rudis,
Mar. 22, at Holy Redeemer Church, Evergreen Park, Ill.

Robert S. Straz, '73, and Madeline O'Reilly, '74,

Oct. 5, 1974.

Peter J. Snell, '73, and Denise J. Novak, '75, June 20, at St. Thomas More Church, Chi-

James M. Walsh, '67, and Patricia A. Knaffla,

June 7, Chicago, Ill.

Frank X. Walsh, Jr., '72, and Natalie Nova-

kowski, May 17. Ronald Wojciekowski, '70, and Noriko Fukui,

July 2, 1973.

BIRTHS

- To Dr. and Mrs. Richard Corea, '69, their first child, a son, Anthony John, Jan. 29.
 To Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Crosby, '70, their first
- child, a son, Paul Robert, Dec. 18, 1974. Capt. and Mrs. Thomas Flowers, '68, a son,
- Sean Michael, Apr. 15.
 To Mr. and Mrs. Terry Herbst, '66, a daughter, Emily Louise, Oct. 12, 1974. To Mr. and Mrs. **John Hiltz**, a son, John Jr.,
- Aug. 3, 1974.
- To Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Porath, '69, a daughter,
- Allison Denise, Feb. 14. To Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Schletter, '73, their first child, a son, Christopher Jason, May
- To Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Wojciekowski, '70, a daughter, Rina, July 23, 1974.



Student body elects Downard 1974-75 professor-of-the-year

William L. Downard, associate professor of history at Saint Joseph's College, has been elected professor-of-the-year for 1974-75 by a vote of the student body.

Dr. Downard, a 1963 graduate of Saint Joseph's, earned his master's degree in 1964 from the University of Cincinnati and his doctorate from Miami University of Ohio in 1969.

He served as a social studies teacher at Greenhills (Ohio) High School during 1964-66 and was a graduate associate in history at Miami University during 1966-68. During 1968-69 he was an instructor in history at Mount St. Joseph's College, then he came to Saint Joseph's in 1969 as an assistant professor of history.

He was promoted to associate professor in 1973 and is a member of the Southern History Association and the Organization of American History.

During this summer, Dr. Downard received a National Endowment for the Humanities grant to participate in a seminar titled "The American Revolutionary Generation" at the University of Michigan.

Fr. White assigned to Chicago post

Fr. Paul R. White, Executive Vice-President and associate professor of economics at Saint Joseph's College, has been assigned as Director of the Theologate of the Precious Blood Society at Catholic Theological Union in Chicago.

Fr. White's assignment was made by Fr. Charles T. Bricher, Provincial Director of the Society of the Precious Blood.

"I accept this new position with enthusiasm and will work at my tasks in a most positive spirit," Fr. White says. "At the same time, I deeply regret leaving Saint Joseph's, where I have spent my 22 years of priesthood and, except for the years spent in graduate school, all have been on campus serving in teaching and

"Through these years, I've made many friends and I ask for your prayers now so that I will adjust to this new position with serenity and will have wisdom in directing the pro-

administration.

DEATHS

Walter J. Barth, M.D., '13, Chicago, Ill., May 20. Michael P. Brady, '20, LaGrange, Ind., Jan. 28. Rev. Aloysius Huber, '20, Fairfield, Ohio, Aug. 8. Raymond T. Lange, '21, Piqua, Ohio, Mar. 17. Urban Rauh, '21, Coldwater, Ohio, March, 1975. Rev. Clemens Koors, '25, East Gary, Ind., May

Thomas Scollard, '47, Cincinnati, Ohio, May 10. William Brinkoetter, '51, Decatur, Ill., Feb. 6. Barbara Knoerzer, wife of Ronald Knoerzer, '60,

Beloit, Wis., May 7. Fr. Joseph Scheuer, June 19. He taught sociology at Saint Joseph's from 1949-59, then oined the Department of Sociology at Fordham University in New York.

C. Byron Hayes, '10, former Allen County pros-

ecutor and Fort Wayne attorney, June 28. Rev. Louis Pottkoetter, '20, St. Charles Seminary Carthagena, Ohio, June 30.

Bro. John Marling, '38, former mathematics and physics professor at Saint Joseph's, June

29, at Lima, Ohio. John "Red" Kenney, head athletic trainer at Saint Joseph's since 1968, July 9.

Fr. Meiring named executive vice-president

Fr. Bernard J. Meiring, professor of education at Saint Joseph's College, has been appointed Executive Vice-President.

A 45-year-old native of Sharpsburg, Ohio, Fr. Meiring entered the Society of the Precious Blood in September, 1943, and was ordained June 11, 1955. He attended Brunnerdale Seminary at Canton, Ohio (1943-46), Saint Joseph's Academy (1946-47), Saint Joseph's College (1947-49) and the University of Dayton (1949-

Fr. Meiring earned a bachelor's degree from Dayton in 1951, a master's degree from the University of Detroit in 1957 and a doctorate from the University of California in 1963. He joined Saint Joseph's faculty as an instructor in 1957, was promoted to assistant professor in 1963, associate professor in 1966 and full professor in 1970.

During 1971-72, Fr. Meiring served as Acting Academic Dean; he also has been Chairman the Department of Education, Director of Guidance and Director of Student Teaching. He has authored several articles for professional teacher journals and is a member of the National Education Society, Association for Student Teaching, American Personnel and Guidance Association and the National Catholic Educational Association.

WINNINGEST SEASON EVER

Saint Joseph's winningest baseball season ever is now history, but the 27-16 mark the Pumas established last spring will not soon be forgotten.

The Pumas roared away from a 12-12 record in late April to win ten games in a row and 15 of their last 19 contests. Highlighting the win streak was a 4-0, 2-0 sweep of Valparaiso.

Scholarship dinner raises \$20,000

Two hundred ten persons believing in scholarships and Saint Joseph's College in particular attended the Sixth Annual Scholarship Dinner Apr. 18 in the Bismarck Hotel in Chicago.

Approximately \$20,000 was added to the scholarship fund, which now totals more than

Fr. Charles Banet presented George Halas, Honorary Chairman, with a President's Fellow-ship. It was the first of the newly-established

fellowships to be given to a layman.
Saint Joseph's Mixed Chorus entertained with post-dinner singing under the direction of Fr. Ralph C. Verdi, chorus director and instructor in music at Saint Joseph's.

Trustees James Carmody (Chicago, III.) and Frank Gallucci (Fort Wayne, Ind.) were co-chairmen of the dinner.



Alumni who attended Saint Joseph's Academy held a reunion on the campus May 30-June 1, the third gathering in this popular every-other-year program. A great many alumni have indicated interest in continuing this reunion, and this weekend provides an opportunity to visit with former classmates and friends while enjoying a relaxed weekend reunion dinner, refreshments and pleasant memories. Plans are under way for 1976.

SAINT JOSEPH'S COLLEGE

Contact

Published four times a year (February, May, August, and December) by Saint Joseph's Callege, and entered as secand class matter March 4, 1972, at the Post Office at Rensselaer, Indiana, 47978, under the Act of August 24, 1912.

VOL. 32 - No. 2

RENSSELAER, INDIANA

AUGUST, 1975

SAINT JOSEPH'S COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

SANTE J. REALE, C.PP.S., Editor Executive Director of the Alumni Association CHARLES J. SCHUTTROW, Director of Public Information

JAMES MADDEN '64, President, Chicago, Illinois ROBERT RAMESH '61, Vice-President for Alumni Relations, South Bend, Ind. JAMES BUCKLEY '48, Vice-President for Academics, Whiting, Indiano JERRY HOESS '59, Vice-President for Financial Support, Munster, Indiana DONNA KNOCHEL '65, Vice-President for Campus Relations, Remington, Ind.

Louis Abbott '50, Monticello, Ind. Kenneth Ahler '62, Rensselaer, Ind. Vincent Braband '69, Chicogo, Ill. George Brun '72, Dayton, Ohio Cassian Chung '76, Hong Kong Charles Clemens '64, Cleveland, Ohio Paul Corsaro '65, Indianapolis, Ind. David Cunningham '63, Milw'kee, Wis. John Dougherty '56, St. Charles, Mo. Dole Fallat '66, Toledo, Ohio Jerry Gladu '55, Konkakee, III.
Dennis Johnson '63, Chicogo, III.
Patrick Knight '76, East Chicogo, Ind.
William Krodel '50, Jasper, Ind.
Michael Smith '63, Chicago, III.
James Sobota '65, Hommond, Ind.
Thomas Walsh '65, Chicago, III.
Philip Wilhelm '63, Indianapolis, Ind.
Arthur Zielinski '61, South Bend, Ind.
Leonard Zimmer '62, Fort Wayne, Ind.





AWAITING AN AUDIENCE WITH POPE PAUL VI

An alumni-sponsored tour of Europe groups together in St. Peter's Square, Rome, Italy, awaiting an audience with Pope Paul VI. Plans are being made for a trip to the Holy Land in May, 1976, by Fr. Sante Reale, Director of Alumni at Saint Joseph's, who also sponsored the European tour this past spring. If interested, contact Fr. Reale concerning the 1976 HOLY LAND TOUR.

	1976 HOLY LAND TOUR Scheduled for May of 1976
į	NAMEPHONE
1	ADDRESS
1	CITY STATE ZIP
1	Please send me mare informotion for the Holy Land Tour.

Tentative Homecoming Schedule

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1975

8:00 p.m.—We are trying to arrange special dinners at Carson Inn and Jefferson House for the classes of 1935; 40; 45; 50; 55; 60; 65; and 1970. Further details will be announced later.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1975

10:00 a.m.—Registration in Halleck Center

11:00 a.m.—Eighth Annual SJC Homecoming Parade through downtown Rensselaer

12 noon—Luncheon can be had in Halleck cafeteria

1:30 p.m.—Pumas vs. Evansville

4:15 p.m.—Happy Hour in west end of Alumni Fieldhouse until 6 o'clock

4:45 p.m.—Serving lines open for dinner in Halleck cafeteria. It will be a pay-as-you-go service. There will be continuous serving of food until 7 p.m.

7:00 p.m.—Mass in the west oratory in remembrance of deceased alumni. Fulfills Sunday obligation

9:00 p.m.—Alumni dance in Halleck Center cafeteria until 1 a.m.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1975

10:30 a.m.—Mass in Main Chapel

12 noon-Mass in west oratory

1:00 p.m.—Auction of memorabilia and other items donated by alumni. This will be held if we get sufficient donations of articles from alumni

4:30 p.m.-Mass in west oratory